

## GHOST ROCKETS HALLOWEEN ACTIVITY



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### Materials:

- Film canisters
- Corn starch
- Water
- A black marker
- Alka seltzer
- Stir stick

### The Activity

- Begin by drawing ghost faces on your film canisters. We used a permanent marker to avoid smears during play, and I later used a magic eraser to remove the marker



- Once the marker is dry add a bit of corn starch to each film canister and then fill roughly 1/3 of the way with water. Then stir well. We mixed ours as we went and refilled each rocket several times. The corn starch and water mixture is essentially homemade sidewalk paint without the added color. It washes right off the pavement, so no worries.



You will want to set off one ghost rocket at a time. Take a piece of Alka seltzer and break it into 3-4 pieces. Then quickly drop the pieces in the canister, put the lid on, flip the rocket over, set it down, and stand back